

PRELIMINARY DRAFT No. 3351

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DIGEST

Citations Affected: IC 12-15-44.2.

Synopsis: Indiana check-up plan. Specifies that interest accrued from investments of funds in the Indiana check-up plan trust fund must be transferred into the fund before June 30 of each year and that the interest does not revert to the state general fund. Requires the office of Medicaid policy and planning to post specified information on the Indiana check-up plan's web site before the office may stop enrollment in the plan or place applicants on a waiting list for the plan.

Effective: Upon passage.



A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning medicaid.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1	SECTION 1. IC 12-15-44.2-17, AS ADDED BY P.L.3-2008,
2	SECTION 98, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
3	UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 17. (a) The Indiana check-up plan trust fund
4	is established for the following purposes:
5	(1) Administering a plan created by the general assembly to
6	provide health insurance coverage for low income residents of
7	Indiana under this chapter.
8	(2) Providing copayments, preventative care services, and
9	premiums for individuals enrolled in the plan.
10	(3) Funding tobacco use prevention and cessation programs,
11	childhood immunization programs, and other health care
12	initiatives designed to promote the general health and well being
13	of Indiana residents.
14	The fund is separate from the state general fund.
15	(b) The fund shall be administered by the office of the secretary of
16	family and social services.
17	(c) The expenses of administering the fund shall be paid from
18	money in the fund.
19	(d) The fund shall consist of the following:
20	(1) Cigarette tax revenues designated by the general assembly to
21	be part of the fund.
22	(2) Other funds designated by the general assembly to be part of
23	the fund.
24	(3) Federal funds available for the purposes of the fund.
25	(4) Gifts or donations to the fund.
26	(5) Interest from investments made under subsection (e).
27	(e) The treasurer of state shall invest the money in the fund not
28	currently needed to meet the obligations of the fund in the same
29	manner as other public money may be invested. The interest accrued
30	from investments under this subsection:
31	(1) shall be deposited by the treasurer of state in the fund not



1	later than June 30 of each year; and
2	(2) does not revert to the state general fund.
3	(f) Money must be appropriated before funds are available for use.
4	(g) Money in the fund does not revert to the state general fund at the
5	end of any fiscal year.
6	(h) The fund is considered a trust fund for purposes of IC 4-9.1-1-7.
7	Money may not be transferred, assigned, or otherwise removed from
8	the fund by the state board of finance, the budget agency, or any other
9	state agency.
10	SECTION 2. IC 12-15-44.2-18.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
11	CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
12	[EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 18.5. Before the office may
13	stop enrolling applicants in the plan or place applicants on a
14	waiting list for the plan, the office shall include the following on the
15	plan's web site:
16	(1) A written statement that the office:
17	(A) has stopped enrolling applicants in the plan; or
18	(B) is placing applicants on a waiting list for the plan.
19	(2) If the office is placing applicants on a waiting list for the
20	plan, a description of the category of applicants that are being
21	placed on the waiting list.
22	(3) Either of the following:
23	(A) The document from the governor that directs the office
24	to stop enrolling applicants in the plan or to place
25	applicants on a waiting list for the plan.
26	(B) If a document described in clause (A) does not exist, a
27	statement:
28	(i) that the governor has stopped enrollment in the plan
29	or has directed the office to place applicants on a waiting
30	list for the plan; and
31	(ii) that a document described in clause (A) does not
32	exist.

SECTION 3. An emergency is declared for this act.



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